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A NEW STYLE OF RELIGION.—Some one whose head is usually "level" has written out his ideas of religion as follows. It will do to read and think about:

We want a religion that goes into the family; and keeps the husband from being spiteful when the dinner is late; keeps the wife from being spiteful when the husband tracks the newly washed floor with his muddy boots, and makes the husband mindful of the scraper and door mat; amuses the children as well as instructs them; wins as well as governs them; projects the honeymoon into the harvest moon, and makes the happy hours like the Eastern fig tree, bearing in its bosom at once the beauty of the tender blossom, and the glory of the ripened fruit. We want a religion that not only bears on the sinfulness of sin, but on the rascality of lying and stealing; a religion that banishes all small measures from the counters, small baskets from the stalls pebbles from cotton bags, clay from paper, sand from sugar, chickory from coffee, beer root from vinegar, alum from bread, lard from butter, strychnine from wine, and water from milk cans. The religion that is to advance the world will not put all the big strawberries and peaches on top, and all the bad ones at the bottom. It will not offer more baskets of foreign wines than the vineyards ever produced bottles. The religion that is to sanctify the world pays its debts. It does not consider forty cents returned for one hundred given, according to gospel, though it is according to law. It looks upon the man who has failed in trade, and who continues to live in luxury, as a thief. It looks upon a man who promises to pay, and who fails to pay it on demand, with or without interest, as a liar.

The Richmond Enquirer of the 31st thinks that Grant will still undertake to hold strong positions commanding the Weldon road, but that his next move will be to "wedge in" on the Confederate left. The Enquirer states that during the week 3,863 prisoners, chiefly from Petersburg, including 109 officers, have been received at Libby prison. Petersburg has been shelled repeatedly of late, and a good many houses injured, but no lives lost.

Mr. Chase, late Secretary of the Treasury of the U. S. is for Lincoln and wishes his friends to go the same way. The friends of Mr. Lincoln say that a large majority of the soldiers in Sheridan's army, and in the armies in the South West, are for Lincoln. The friends of Gen. McClellan, on the other hand, rely much upon the votes of the soldiers.

General Hunter, it is said, has not been relieved from his command as was recently reported.

The "official" despatches from Washington indicate that Sheridan's forces are still advancing—a portion of them being beyond Berryville. A battle is reported to have been fought on Saturday afternoon, near Berryville, in which the attacks of the Confederates were each time repulsed, and the conflict lasted till after night. Crook's command is said to have done all the fighting, and captured fifty prisoners and a stand of colors. The Federal loss is estimated at three hundred killed and wounded. Another account is that General Early still occupies Bunker Hill with his main army, and that his position is so strong as to render it unadvisable for Sheridan to attempt to drive him from it. There was heavy artillery and musketry firing on Friday and Saturday last, but as neither of the belligerents is willing to assault the other in his entrenchments, it is not at all likely that anything decisive will result from their encounters.

The U. S. Circuit Court at Philadelphia, have decided that the weight of a ton of coal is 2,240 pounds instead of 2,000 pounds. The Judge ruled that a company of grocers might as well meet and agree to reduce the number of ounces in a pound, and make the smaller number the standard of a pound for their customers, as for coal dealers to agree that the weight of a ton shall be 2,000 pounds, and furnish that amount to their customers.

Charles F. Wilson, who went down to Georgia and Alabama on behalf of the city of Cleveland to obtain negro substitutes, returned on Monday evening without having bagged a single "blackbird." He says that the endeavor to obtain substitutes in those States is not only exceedingly unsuccessful but decidedly unthankful business.

The news from Atlanta is the most prominent and important before the public, and attracts the most attention. We have given in our columns all the official details sent out from the U. S. War Department. The comments of the news papers, and accounts from the Confederate side are yet to be received.

The destruction of the old frigate Brandywine, by fire, at Norfolk, has devolved a loss of over one million of dollars worth of naval stores, clothing, provisions, &c. The origin of the fire was not ascertained.

There is said to be a great deal of wood piled on the Maryland shore, down the river, but the owners ask so much, that the captains of crafts will not buy it.

Salutes were fired, flags displayed, and the military paraded in many of the cities and towns in the North, yesterday, expressive of rejoicing at the occupation of Atlanta by the Federal forces.

Major Reid Sanders, of the Confederate army, died in Fort Warren on Saturday. He was a son of George N. Sanders.

COUNTY COURT.—(From the Record.)—**MONDAY.**—Caleb S. and Jas S. Hallowell, the executors, named in the will of Monica Lucas renounced the execution thereof, and S. F. Beach was appointed administrator and qualified.

Pitkin & Co. vs. J. A. Douglas and L. E. Chittenden—on a forthcoming bond—execution awarded against defendants.

A power of attorney from Jos. Stiles to Jas. A. Stoutenburgh, was admitted to record.

Elizabeth Gibson was appointed guardian of the orphan children of Joshua Gibson.

Com. vs. Maria Simpson—on an examination—continued.

An election for a constable from the country district of this county, to fill a vacancy occasioned by the failure to qualify of R. H. Donaldson, was ordered to be held on the 21st of this month, and an election in the different wards of this city was ordered to be held on the 20th inst., for a constable to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of T. H. Stillwell.

Charles Lucas vs. Jos. Frye—unlawful detainer—jury waived and judgment for plaintiff with costs.

Caroline M. Johnson, admx. of John T. Johnson, vs. James Breen—unlawful detainer—and same vs. W. B. Lewis—debt att.—declarations amended and cases continued.

Goetz vs. Sank & Co.—on a petition—peremptory trial ordered at October term.

Com. vs. Curran—on an examination for felony—continued.

Dunnington vs. Baggott—on an appeal—dismissed by order of debt.

Gheen vs. Herrick—on an appeal—dismissed.

Church vs. Hefebower—unlawful detainer—continued for debt.

Beach vs. Clarke—on an appeal—Schwarzburg vs. Hinson—on an appeal—Fogarty & Coleman vs. Adams—on an appeal—Furlong vs. Welsh—unlawful detainer—Van Reypen vs. Van Reypen et als.—petition—and Pflaunlacher vs. Pflaunlacher et al.—on a petition—continued.

The court adjourned until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

It is said in military circles, in Washington, that operations against Mobile and Richmond are now to be pressed with renewed vigor.—Very earnest and extensive preparations for defence are being made at Mobile.

A Coal at-cost company, in Brooklyn, N. Y. sent a committee to Pennsylvania, which reported that coal could be delivered to subscribers at \$11 per ton.

Treadwell, the bank robber, at Adrian, Michigan, who lately made his escape from jail, has since been murdered by a comrade.—His body has been found.

A very large coinage of pennies has been going on for some weeks at the U. S. Mint in Philadelphia.